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Annual Citizen of the Year Award

New Berlin, Wisconsin—The Mayor's Office is accepting nominations for the *2016 Citizen of the Year Award* through August 31st. Written nominations of 500 words or less may be submitted by any individual or group. The nominee must be a citizen of the City of New Berlin, and achievements must be recent or on-going. Nominations will be judged by the Mayor's Office on the following criteria:

- contributions to community welfare
- civic achievement
- contribution of something of a lasting effect to the community
- volunteerism
- enrichment of the cultural, civic, or youth facilities of the City

Recent past winners of this prestigious award include: Mario Deluca (2015), Marion Onesti (2014), Stephanie Brown (2013), William Christel (2012), Jeanne Holden (2011), and Randy Bubolz (2010).

The award will be presented by the Mayor at a Common Council meeting. Individuals or groups are encouraged to nominate an outstanding New Berlin resident who has given tirelessly to the community.

Send nominations to Melody Styba via email (<u>mstyba@newberlin.org</u>) or mail (Mayor's Office, 3805 South Casper Drive, New Berlin, WI 53151).

For a complete list of past recipients please visit: http://www.newberlin.org/index.aspx?NID=144

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